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EVANSVILLE MAN CHARGED WITH POSSESSING CHILD PORN ON COMPUTER

PRESS RELEASE

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that WILLIAM L. DAUGHERTY, 51, of Evansville, Indiana, was charged today with possession of child pornography, following an investigation by the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

The information alleges that DAUGHERTY possessed a computer that contained approximately 526 images of minors engaging in sexually explicit conduct.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Todd S. Shellenbarger, who is prosecuting the case for the government, DAUGHERTY faces a maximum possible prison

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sentence of 5 years and a maximum possible fine of \$250,000. An initial hearing will be scheduled before a U.S. Magistrate Judge in Evansville.

The information is an allegation only, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial or by guilty plea.

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